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TOPIC Staff of the Border Police at Perleberg

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In early August 1955, a unit of about 100 border police commanded by a colonel was quartered at the Tannhof-Villa at Perleberg. The unit probably was a staff, because an unusually large number of officers was assigned to it. The villa was connected to the local post office by 10 telephone lines with 50 extensions; 10 extra connecting plugs (Verbindungswagen) and 20 direct telephone lines were also available. The organization of the staff was apparently not yet completed. All the border police personnel observed wore green collar patches.

Comment. It appears that a unit border police staff, the missions of which are not yet clear, is in progress of activation. It seems that the unit staff will be inserted between Grenzberetschaft Grabow and Grenzberetschaft Salzwedel.

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